

City of Sand Point



May 19, 2010

State of Alaska – DOTPF
Central Region Director
Lance Wilber, AICP
4111 Aviation Avenue
Anchorage, AK 99519

Re: Sand Point School Loop Road Project
Denali Commission funding

Dear Mr. Wilber,

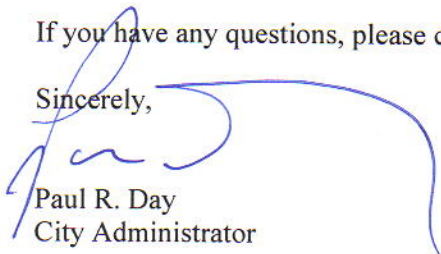
As you are aware, the city of Sand Point is in the process of rehabilitating and paving a 2.5 mile stretch of road in our community known locally as the "School Loop Road". The city has secured \$1.5 million from the Denali Commission and \$1 million in a state grant for this project. In addition, we have spent over \$500,000 in local funding for design and permitting. We are awaiting notification from your agency and the federal BIA on requested ARRA funding to make this project financially feasible to bid.

At the request of the Denali Commission (Mike McKinnon), I have agreed to transfer the \$1.5 million Denali Commission grant we have in-hand to your agency for the sole purpose of completing this project. Once formally transferred, it will be DOT's responsibility to insure all reporting and grant requirements and stipulations are being met.

Finally, we reserve the right to have these funds transferred back to the city of Sand Point in the event that this project is not substantially completed within the next 18 months.

If you have any questions, please call.

Sincerely,


Paul R. Day
City Administrator

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